



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: **ALEX KASTALSKY ET AL**

Serial No.: **10/764,168**

Filing Date: **May 3, 2005**

Title: **NEW NANOTUBE-BASED VACUUM DEVICES**

Group Art Unit: **2814**

Examiner: **Mr. Wai-Sing Louie**

REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Request for Continuing Examination is hereby made as to a Final Rejection dated September 26, 2005. A check for \$395.00 as the required filing fee is enclosed.

Request is made with respect to the following proposed Amendment:

- a. Canceling Claims 2-6, 13, 15 and 17;
- b. Amending Claims 1, 7-10, 14, 16 and 19-21; and
- c. Rewriting Claim 13 as added Claim 50.

A Listing of the Claims is attached.